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PAINTINGS AND PASTELS by Duxbury artist Virginia Pyle, center, were admired Saturday at the Helen Bumpus Gallery in the Duxbury Free Library by gallery director Miss Gay Youse, left, and library director Mrs. Janice Neubauer. Miss Pyle's works, including landscapes of the Duxbury area, portraits and still-life works, will be exhibited in the gallery through Aug. 5.

(Photo by Richard Green).

Local Painter Showing Work

DUXBURY — An exhibition of paintings and pastels by Virginia K. Pyle opened Saturday night at the Helen Bumpus Gallery in the Duxbury Free Library. The exhibition will continue through Aug. 5.

Miss Pyle is a resident of Duxbury. The exhibition contains a variety of subject matter with an emphasis on landscapes from the Duxbury area. Several works incorporate views of Duxbury Bay and cranberry bogs. There is also a section of portraits and still-life work.

She taught art for the Duxbury Art Association art classes, worked as the artist for the Duxbury Library, and did illustrational work for Pilgrim Church publications.

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Miss Pyle attended Boston University's School for the Arts where she received a bachelor of fine arts degree cum laude in painting in 1973.

In 1975, Miss Pyle received a master of fine arts degree with high honors in painting from Boston University. There she worked under Philip Guston, James Weeks, and Joseph Ablow. She taught at Boston University for two years as a graduate assistant in basic drawing

and "an introduction to the language of the visual arts."

Miss Pyle has exhibited her work at the Master of Fine Arts Exhibition of Paintings at Boston University, the Pembroke Arts Festival, Duxbury Art Association, and the Braintree Art Association.

She writes art reviews for the Limelight Page of The Patriot Ledger. She gives private art instruction and does commissioned paintings and portraiture. She will be teaching at the Newton Public Schools summer program.

The Helen Bumpus Gallery is open from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays. The library is closed Fridays and Sundays.